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The Examiner's Amendment mailed 29 December 2009 is amended as follows:

Claim 20:
The system of claim ~~19~~18, wherein the initialization program is adapted to execute following a customization step that associates the given smart card with a given account.

Claim 22 (Originally claim 21 prior to Examiner's Amendment):
The system of claim ~~19~~18, wherein the initialization program is adapted to record the given smart card on the central control unit and enable the smart card for use with the given local terminal.

Claim 24 (Originally claim 23 prior to Examiner's Amendment):
The system of claim ~~19~~18, wherein the initialization program includes a double, asymmetrical key algorithm that signs the fingerprint of the given local terminal.

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